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In re Application of:

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT
(37 CFR 1.121)

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121) mailed July 9, 2001, a marked up version of the replacement paragraph(s)/section(s) for the specification is enclosed below. (37 CFR 1.121(b)(1)(iii)).

Respectfully submitted,

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